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Applicant:	Mark Marchionni et al.	Art Unit:	1644
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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.191

Applicants respectfully appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner, dated October 9, 2001, finally rejecting claims 1-4 and 9-26.

Enclosed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 is a petition to extend the time to respond to the final rejection for three months, to and including April 9, 2002. Enclosed is a check for \$520.00 in payment for the third month of extension, as the first two months have been paid previously with the Reply filed on March 11, 2002.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$320.00 for the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) for this Notice of Appeal. If there are any charges, or any credits, please apply them to Deposit Account No. 03-2095.

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